

PLAN IS PROPOSED TO PROTECT GIRLS

Startling Developments in Juvenile Court Give Rise to Need of Social Reform Organization.

COOPERATE WITH OFFICERS

Suggested That Neglected Children be Reported to Members Who Will Guard Welfare.

Because of the startling evidence given in the juvenile court recently at the hearings of two young girls who were charged with delinquency a number of local people interested in social reform have proposed the organization of a society which would give particular attention to the protection of girls who are environed with questionable influences and are not privileged to receive the proper home training to which they are entitled. The plan is in its infancy and has been discussed only in a general way but the details will be worked out shortly.

The idea has been suggested to several persons and they have readily agreed that an immense amount of good could be accomplished by such an organization. It is thought that a number of prominent women who are interested in social reform will take charge of the proposed society as they will at once recognize its value to the community. According to the plan suggested the organization would work with the police and juvenile court officers and would follow up any reports that might be filed. The police realize that such an organization could do more effective work than the department as the majority of such girls would follow the advice of the members more quickly than they would the orders of the officers.

It is a well known fact that a large number of girls and boys who do not exceed eighteen years of age roam about the streets each night until a late hour. The police recognize the evil results that occur if this practice is continued and are willing and anxious to cooperate with any organization that will offer assistance. The records show that the juvenile court has done some excellent work during the last year or so but many cases cannot be reached by this court as effectively as by a private organization.

Those who have given serious thought to the question say that many girls who are guilty of careless conduct do not realize the danger of the path upon which they are walking and would readily accept advice from friends who are interested in their welfare. Many of the girls who are found on the streets at late hours do not come from homes where their parents look after their welfare and are allowed to do as they please. No restraint whatever is placed upon them and their guardians are more to blame than they.

According to the plan proposed the police could report to the society any girl or child who should be watched. It is thought that in many cases a heart to heart talk would result in the desired reform as the girls are really ignorant of the fact that their conduct is not what it should be. It has been found from experiences in

other cities that the children appreciate the interest shown in them by members of such a society and will gladly follow the advice offered.

Each of the recent cases that were heard in juvenile court recently furnish an illustration of the need of such an organization. The evidence given in these cases showed that the girls who were less than sixteen years of age had been neglected at home and had never received advice from their parents. The conditions in each case were unusual as the testimony showed that the girls' mothers encouraged them in their downward path.

One had been provided with a home but little attention was given to her habits or company. The other was homeless and forsaken. For several nights she slept wherever she could find a place and no effort was made by any one to assist her in time of need. She became acquainted with women of questionable character and was naturally thrown in their company. Because of her tender age and evil surroundings it would have been unusual if she had not fallen. However, if her case could have been reported to some organization with authority to act she might have been aided and placed under the care and protection of some family who would have given her a good home. She had no one to counsel with as her mother disappeared and has never been located.

The police say that while two cases are extreme illustrations there are a number of girls in the city who are living under similar circumstances. That their parents or guardians are neglecting them is evidence by their conduct on the streets and the late hours they keep. It is believed that the proposed organization will supply a want that has long been felt here. The members would be given the aid and assistance of the police and juvenile officers and could do a service that would benefit many individuals as well as the community at large.

NINE ASSAULT AND BATTERY CASES FILED THIS MONTH

Six Affidavits For This Offense in Police Court Since the First of This Week.

There has been a predominance of assault and battery cases in the local police court this week, six affidavits charging this offense having been filed. A total of nine have been filed since the first of this month. Since April 1st sixteen affidavits have been filed in the city court. Of this number which is unusually large charges of assault and battery and intoxication lead. Eleven cases have been filed at Brownstown in the justice of peace courts. The majority of these were for drunkenness.

Lorenzo Shutts, who was arrested Wednesday afternoon for assault and battery upon Harry Feader, was fined \$1 and costs by Mayor Ross this morning. The evidence showed that Shutts was the aggressor and attacked Feader. Shutts proved to be the loser in the scuffle but despite this fact he was punished in court. John Smith, aged eighty-five years, was jailed last night for intoxication. He lives at Rockford. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$1 and costs which were stayed.

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SAFETY MEETING HELD HERE TODAY

General Safety Committee of B. & O. Meets With the Indiana Divisional Committee.

SESSIONS WELL ATTENDED

After Addresses by Officials Employees Are Given Opportunity to Make Recommendations.

The regular Indiana divisional safety meeting of the B. & O. Southwestern Railroad was held in this city today. Special importance was attached to the sessions because of the presence of the members of the general safety committee of which Major J. G. Pangborn is chairman. The other members of this committee are: E. R. Scoville, transportation department, John Hair, motive power department, W. McC. Bond, maintenance of ways, J. T. Campbell, stations and traffic, Dr. E. M. Parlett, sanitation, B. C. Craig, safety appliance inspector. They came to Seymour this morning in a special car. A meeting was held at Washington Wednesday and they will attend a meeting at Cincinnati tomorrow. The general committee met with the divisional committee last month.

The meeting today was out of the ordinary in that practically all the addresses were made by the general safety committee members. All employees of the road were urged to attend and sessions were held this morning for the various departments. The transportation department employees met in the assembly room at the division officers and the shop men at the round house. The station agents assembled at the freight house where they were addressed by Mr. Campbell.

At noon about fifty dined at the New Lynn Hotel.

At the afternoon meeting which was held at the assembly room all departments were represented. Practically the entire safety committee of this division was present and many employed heard the several discussions. After the addresses were made by the members an opportunity was given the employees to bring up any question that might be of interest to them in their respective localities.

The damage and loss of freight in less than ear load lots was given particular attention. It was stated that in 1913 the loss of freight in January and February was approximately \$14,000 and for the corresponding months this year the loss was about \$3,000 greater. This is a question to which the officials are giving close attention and was discussed by the third vice-president, A. W. Thompson in the B. & O. Magazine a short time ago.

Sanitation was also discussed and the recent law signed by President Wilson relative to certain phases of sanitation was read and explained. The question of pollution of streams was presented and suggestions given to employees of maintenance and ways department as to how this could be avoided.

The employees find these meetings very helpful as they are privileged to explain local conditions which should be given consideration by the officials.

HAND CAR SENT SPEEDING DOWN INTERURBAN TRACK

Ran Quarter of Mile But Did Not Leave Rails When Hit By Traction Car.

While running at a rapid rate of speed the southbound freight car on the Indianapolis, Columbus & Southern Traction Line collided with a handcar near Taylorville this morning. The car was nearing a curve and the motorman could not see the handcar.

There were several track men on the hand car and were not aware of the approach of the traction car until it was a short distance away. The men jumped and none was hurt. The track men were under the direction of foreman, Charles Jolly. The interurban hit the handcar and sent it down the track a quarter of a mile. It did not leave the track. There was no property damaged.

WESTOVER ADDITION SALE WILL BE HELD NEXT WEEK

Chas. A. Bainum Here to Conduct a Sale of Lots in This Beautiful Addition.

Chas. A. Bainum, of Bicknell, Ind., arrived in Seymour Wednesday evening and will be here for ten days arranging for a sale of lots to be held in Westover addition Friday and Saturday of next week.

This addition is part of the Peter estate lying just west of the city between Second and Fourth streets. The land was platted last year, shade trees were set out, and several lots were sold. During the year a number of residences have been built in Westover and the addition promises to become one of the most beautiful that has been made to our growing city.

CHANCE OF POSTOFFICE CLERKS BEING "STUNG"

Parkertown, O., Man Will Send About Six Million Bees in Parcel Post Packages.

By United Press. Parkertown, O., April 11—Uncle Sam's parcel post will carry about 6,000,000 queen bees from this place during the coming summer in small packages destined to all parts of the civilized world. H. G. Quirin, who operates perhaps the largest bee farm in the United States estimates his orders will call for that number of queens. Last year Quirin shipped queen bees with their "escorts" of working bees, in a little parcel post packages to all parts of America, Europe, Japan, Cuba, China and the West Indies.

Quirin has raised queens he valued at \$300. Those however were extraordinary stock. The regular stock are worth from \$1 to \$3. In addition to his queens, the bee magnate expects to have employed about 50,000,000 workers the coming season making many tons of honey.

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HUERTA READY TO FIRE SALUTE TO OLD GLORY

ASKS ITS RETURN BY UNITED STATES

State Department Says Request Does Not Mean This Country Shall Recognize Huerta.

CHARGE MAY BE RECALLED

Reported that President is Displeased With Friendly Relations of O'Shaughnessy and Huerta.

By United Press.

Washington, April 16.—Charge D' Affairs of O'Shaughnessy sent a message from Mexico City to the state department today stating that President Huerta is willing to fire the salute to the American flag as requested by this government provided the United States would return the salute. Senator Shively, of Indiana, acting chairman of the foreign relations committee, admitted this afternoon that official information to this effect had been received.

Senator Shively stated that the request is merely that the usual form be complied with and said that it did not mean that the United States would by that act recognize the Huerta government. The United States will take no recognition of Huerta by any overt act.

The committee on foreign affairs has been informed that President Wilson will remove Charge O'Shaughnessy from Mexico if he can do so without substituting another representative. If O'Shaughnessy were returned to the United States and another representative sent to Mexico City it would be implied that the United States had recognized Huerta. This the state departments wishes to avoid.

Although denials were made at the Whitehouse it is learned from three reliable sources that President Wilson is displeased with O'Shaughnessy's friendly relations with Huerta. This, it is believed, is responsible for the President's desire to remove the American charge.

The prevailing opinion among the high state officials here is that the salute to Old Glory will be fired by Huerta before the dreadnoughts under the command of Rear Admiral Badger reach Tampico. O'Shaughnessy has wired the President that Huerta shows signs of yielding and as a result the United States officials are hopeful that actual war may not be necessary. President Wilson declared that he would endeavor to maintain peace first but that the honor of the nation must not be lowered.

The long message received here by the state department today from Charge O'Shaughnessy was not made public.

The house committee on foreign affairs has approved Wilson's course. The action was taken in an executive session today.

The state department is hopeful

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TWO FLEETS ON WAY TO MEXICO

Principal Ports Will be Blockaded to Force President Huerta to Comply With Request.

U. S. ARMY IS ALSO READY

European Powers Advise Huerta to Apologize to United States and End Serious Situation.

Washington, April 16.—Along the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of the United States today moved the American war fleets on their way to blockade all important Mexican ports and to force the Huerta government to salute the Stars and Stripes; General Huerta discussed with members of the senate in Mexico City the demands of the United States for reparation for indignities at Vera Cruz and Tampico, while in Washington President Wilson and his advisers calmly awaited word from Charge O'Shaughnessy of developments in the Mexican capital.

The President conferred with Secretaries Bryan and Daniels again today. They reported on conditions revealed by the latest dispatches from Mexico City and the fleet. Daniels told the President that Rear-Admiral Badger would reach Tampico next Wednesday, instead of Tuesday, and that there had been no delay in carrying out orders on either the east or west coast.

Secretary of War Garrison has already assured the President that the army is ready if needed. Officers have been recalled from furlough and the Mexican expeditionary army—so-called—at Texas City, can entrain from Galveston, where the transports are waiting, on less than an hour's notice. But so far there has been no indication that the army is to be utilized or will have any immediate part in events.

European powers today advised Huerta to apologize to the United States at once, and end a situation which threatens grave consequences. Friends of the Mexican dictator in the United States also were assuring him that unless a salute was fired to the American flag, the seizure of the ports of Tampico and Vera Cruz and a blockade of Mexico by the American fleet was the Washington program.

Pressure on Huerta is being brought not alone by Charge O'Shaughnessy, but by the diplomatic representatives of other nations in Mexico City.

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MAXWELL WILL DEAL WITH STATE ISSUES IN ADDRESS

Temporary Chairman of Republican State Convention Will Handle Subject "Without Gloves."

By United Press.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 16—The announcement of the Republican state committee of the selection of Howard Maxwell an attorney of Rockville to be the temporary chairman of the state convention that is to be held in this city on April 22 and 23 came as a great surprise to the political prophets who had been expecting that this honor would go to some one who had long been actively identified with republican state politics. They fairly gasped when they learned that a man noted for his legal ability and oratory rather than a politician had been chosen as the temporary presiding officer of the convention. It was announced that Maxwell's speech would be short and that it would deal solely with state issues.

The cryptic observation of State Chairman Hays to the effect that Maxwell, in his speech, "will have a mission to perform of vital importance to every taxpayer in Indiana" and that he "has the courage to do his duty" has aroused general speculation of the character of the address that is to be delivered by the Rock-

ville attorney. The impression prevails that the speech will be sensational in character as it is known that the Republican leaders believe that facts regarding the Democratic administration of state affairs can be marshaled as effectively as to place the Democrats on the defensive at the opening of the 1914 campaign. It is predicted that Maxwell will handle state issues without gloves. It is planned by the Republican state committee to use his address as a campaign document.

More candidates for nomination on the Republican state tickets have made their announcements during the past few days. Job Freeman, of the Fifth district, one of the best known coal operators in Indiana, has announced his candidacy for state treasurer. T. J. Moll, of Indianapolis, is seeking one of the appellate judgeship nominations. Ele Stansbury of the Tenth district is being urged by his friends to seek the nomination for attorney general.

According to Republican leaders the demand for tickets to the coming convention is widespread and insistent. It is evident that Tomlinson hall will not be large enough to hold all of those who have expressed their intention of being present. Reports have come to state headquarters to the effect that many of the district delegations are coming to Indianapolis headed by bands and glee clubs.

MOVIES TO BE USED IN FAR EAST TO TEACH THE GOSPEL

C. A. Rowland, Chairman of Laymen's Movement of Southern Presbyterian Church Back of Plan.

By United Press.

New York, April 16—With elaborate motion picture equipment, three operators in the employ of Foreign Missions of several Protestant denominations, left here today for the Far East where they will take motion pictures of mission scenes, and use the movies at various missions in teaching the gospel of Christ.

Ten years ago motion pictures were taken of mission scenes in the Far East, but they were not done by an expert, and the motion picture at that time had not reached its present near-perfect state. The attempt therefore, was a failure. The man behind the plan is Charles A. Rowland, chairman of the Laymen's Movement of the Southern Presbyterian Church and a member of the executive committee of Foreign Missions of that denomination. Dr. J. P. McCallie and Louis A. Holman, an art editor and photographic expert, with Rowland are the three men who will superintend the work of taking the motion pictures.

COXEY'S "SECOND INVASION" IS EXPECTED TO START TODAY

Army of Unemployed Has Enlistment of Several Hundred and Others Are Expected to Join.

By United Press.

Cleveland, April 16.—"Gen." James S. Coxey, who was sixty years old today, was expected some time this afternoon to begin his long heralded march of unemployed on Washington, from some point in Ohio. The "General of the Unemployed" promised to start with at least several hundred followers, who, he believes will be increased along the line of march by many thousands more by the time the National Capital is reached. Other "divisions" were expected to start from different points at various times, to form a conjunction with the "main army" at Washington. The march is scheduled to be conducted like the famous one led by Coxey when Cleveland was in the White House. At that time Coxey got nothing but twenty days in the workhouse on the technical charge of "walking on the grass" in the Capitol grounds.

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Washington...	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 4 0
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Ayers, Shaw and Henry; Foster and Thomas.	
At Chicago—	R.H.E.
Cleveland...	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1 7 2
Chicago...	1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2 7 1
Steen, Gregg and O'Neill; Cicotte and Schalk.	
Federal League.	
Rain everywhere.	
American Association.	
At Indianapolis, 3; Cleveland, 2.	
At Milwaukee, 3; St. Paul, 0.	
At Kansas City, 5; Minneapolis, 4.	
At Louisville, 7; Columbus, 2.	

W. P. Grantham, who lives near Uniontown, was here Wednesday on business.

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SIXTEEN WILL RECEIVE DIPLOMAS AS BROWNSTOWN

Annual Commencement Exercises of School Will be Held Wednesday, May 13.

The annual commencement exercises of the Brownstown high school will be held Wednesday evening, May 13. There will be sixteen graduates this year, ten girls and six boys, viz: Minnie Schwein, Gladys Spurgeon, Edith McNiece, Cora Edinger, Jessie Garis, Kittie Schwein, Ruth Darr, Carrie Barnum, Jeannetta Herrmann, Zella Cross, Edgar Welsh, Frank Pragg, Omer Kent, Claude Brodhecker, Glen Thompson and Basil Wagstaff.

The school will close May 8th in all the rooms except the high school which will continue to May 13th.

The baccalaureate services will be held at the M. E. church Sunday night, May 10th. The sermon will be delivered by Rev. C. N. Wilson and music will be furnished by a union choir from the various churches of the town.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

The Yorkshire (England) coal miners' strike has been ended and 170,000 men will return to work.

The Tennessee Republican state convention renominated Ben W. Hooper for a third term as governor.

The Haytian republic is bankrupt, the banks having refused to make any advances unless they are placed in control of the customs.

President Wilson's action in sending a fleet to Tampico is the leading feature of the news and editorial columns of the London papers.

A bold thief heaved a brick through the window of a New York jewelry shop and tucked a tray of diamonds under his arm and made off with it.

The Mississippi river commission, which met at St. Louis, agreed to recommend that congress appropriate \$12,000,000 for the improvement of the river next year.

George Crestesinger, a Williamsport (N. Y.) farmer who reported that he had been swindled out of \$12,000, admitted that in all the swindler had relieved him of \$27,000.

The senate foreign relations committee has made a favorable report on a bill raising the United States diplomatic representation in Chili from a mission to an embassy.

Reports indicate that a majority of the 45,000 miners in the Pittsburg district have voted to continue at work while negotiations for a settlement of the wage scale are in progress.

George A. Townsend, known during the Civil war and later days as "Gath," caused his articles in newspapers and magazines were signed that way, is dead at the age of seventy-three at his home in New York.

Directors of the Western Union Telegraph company elected Newcomb Carlton president of the company in place of Theodore N. Vail, who remains president of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, from which the Western Union was recently divorced.

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Prohibition Amendment Hearing.

By United Press.

Washington, April 16—The resolution for a Constitutional amendment for national prohibition was scheduled for a hearing today before a Senate sub-committee. On the committee are Senators Chilton, Fletcher, Shields, Borah and Dillingham.

Norman Gaynor Weds Today.

By United Press.

Fairfax Courthouse, Va., April 16—Norman Gaynor, youngest son of the late Mayor Gaynor, of New York, today was married to Miss Elizabeth Page at the home of the bride's father, Dr. Frank Page. Miss Page is a niece of Ambassador Page.

Frankfort's Arbor Day.

Frankfort, Ind., April 16.—Former Vice President Fairbanks will make an address on the importance of tree conservation at the celebration here tomorrow of Arbor day.

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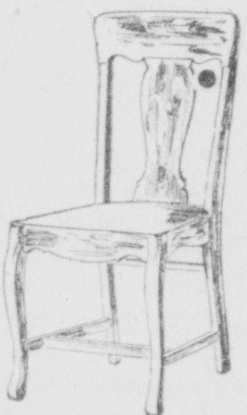
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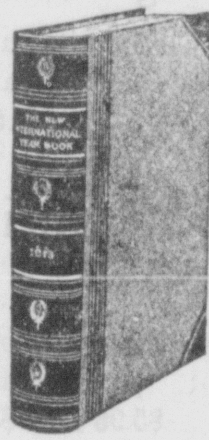
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READJUSTMENT OF RATES WILL BE EFFECTIVE MAY 1

Estimated That 95 Per Cent. of Changes Are Reductions and 5 Per Cent. Increases.

Washington, April 16—Readjustment of passenger rates on all interstate railroads in the United States in conformity with the long-and-short-haul provision of the law, under orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission, will become effective May 1. The new tariffs filed by the roads with the commission indicate a material reduction in fares, particularly from important terminals and rate-basing points to intermediate points.

It is estimated by officials of the commission, after an analysis of the tariffs, that "95 per cent of the changes in fares will be reductions", and 5 per cent increases. Such advances as are made are between terminals, or basing points, and in such instances the increases are made only when the traffic to intermediate points is so great as to affect seriously the revenues of the roads.

Soon after the enactment of the long-and-short-haul provision the commission ordered the carriers to readjust their passenger fares in conformity with that principle. At the request of the roads, the commission postponed the effective date of its order pending a decision in the Minnesota rate case and in the other cases involving the right of states to fix rates had been handed down by the United States Supreme Court.

Later the Supreme Court upheld the authority of states to make rates, and the commission directed the roads to readjust their passenger fares by May 1.

Except in such instances as the commission may grant permission to the carriers, for well-defined reasons, to exact a higher rate for the shorter than for the longer haul, the roads will be required precisely to conform to the law's provision.

To what extent compliance with the orders may affect the revenues of the roads, the commission has no means of determining accurately, because that will depend largely upon the volume of traffic, which is a variable quantity. While some rates on long hauls will be increased, the fares on the shorter hauls to intermediate points will be reduced materially in a great majority of instances.

It is provided that no interstate fares may exceed the sum of the local rates, and in the making up of interstate fares the rates fixed by authorities of states must be observed.

ACCOUNT OF BATTLE OF PARKER'S CROSSROADS

Fiftieth Indiana Regiment Engaged in Conflict Near Clarksburg December 31, 1862.

Veterans in this city who were members of the Fiftieth Indiana Regiment will be interested in the following which was taken from the National Tribune and concerns the battle of Parker's Crossroads.

Editor National Tribune: Fifty-one years ago, Dec. 31, the battle of Parker's Crossroads, in Henderson County, Tenn., five miles from Clarksburg, where I was then living, was fought between the forces of Gen. Forrest and Gen. Sullivan. Never having seen a correct report of this engagement, I feel it due to the gallant officers and men, who displayed such signal courage on that occasion, to give at least a brief, true account of that fight.

Gen. Sullivan, with his staff, had been cut off from the main body of the army by Forrest's scouts. At this time Col. Durham, one of Sullivan's officers and commanding a brigade, was engaged with Forrest at Parker's Crossroads.

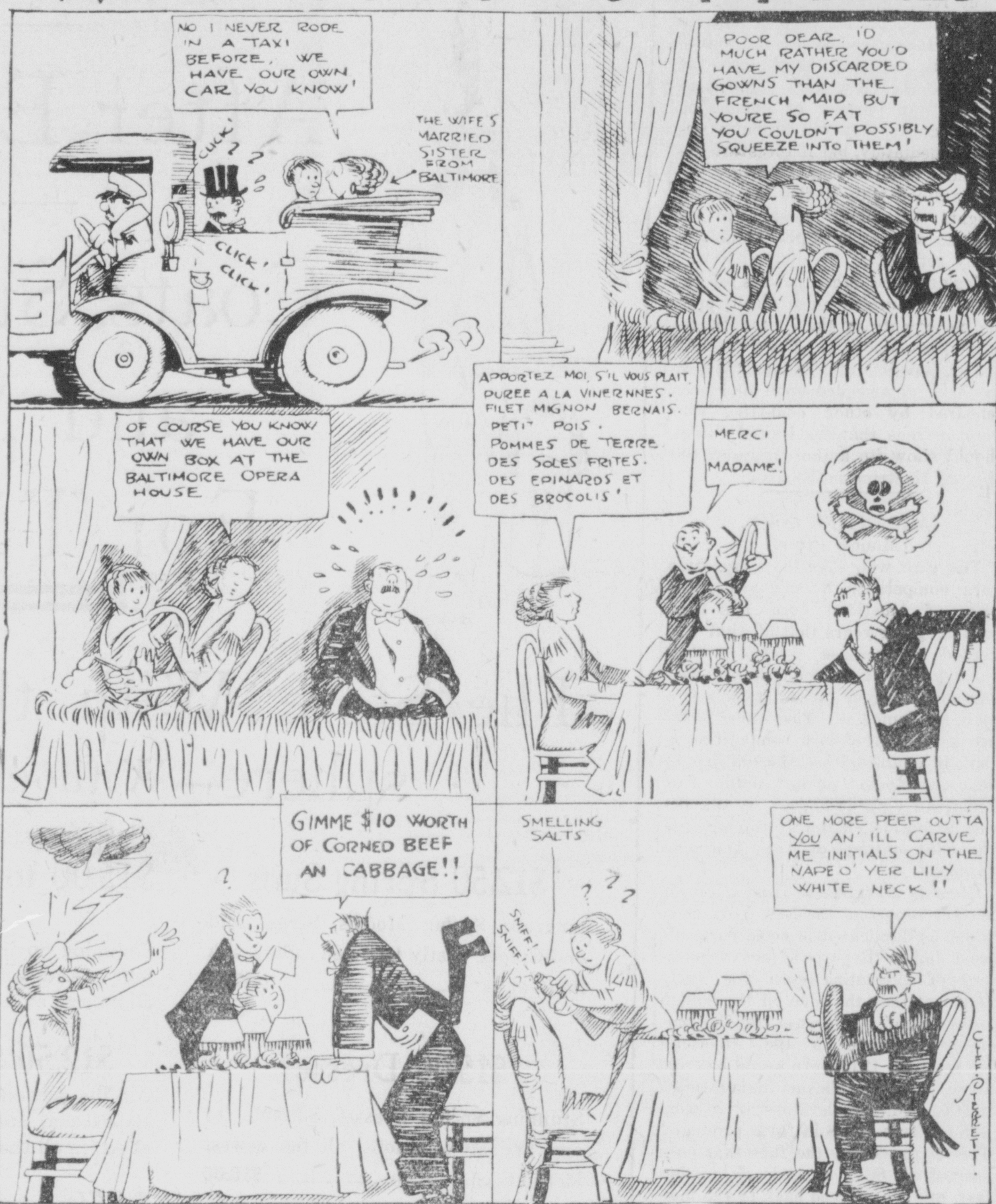
Sullivan rode up in front of Dr. Henry McCall's house in Clarksburg and made the Masonic signal of distress, to which the Doctor, being a Mason himself and loyal to the Federal Government, promptly responded. The General thereupon dismounted and entered the house, and within a few minutes the Doctor conducted him and his staff safely on the way to their command.

In a short while the General, with his brigade, came rushing thru the little village to reinforce Col. Durham at the crossroads, five miles away, and he reached the scene of conflict in time to save the day.

Gen. Forrest and over 300 of his men were captured, but the General himself was enabled to effect his escape.

The battle at Parker's Crossroads, Dec. 31, 1862, was the most signal defeat Forrest ever met with in all of his operations in West Tennessee. Great credit is due Gen. Sullivan, Col. Durham and Col. Reniker (who was wounded) and the brave men under their command—Joseph W. McCall, Assistant Surgeon, 7th Tenn. Cav., Huntington, Tenn.

WHEN A MAN'S MARRIED



FAIRBANKS AND MARSHALL MAY SPEAK AT ENCAMPMENT

Final Arrangements Being Made by Committees For G. A. R. Meeting May 6-7-8.

By United Press. Indianapolis, Ind., April 16—Former Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks and Vice President Thomas R. Marshall may occupy the same platform during the G. A. R. encampment, if they see fit to accept the invitation of the Sons of Veterans in charge of the G. A. R. encampment here May 6-7-8.

Jesse E. Martin, chairman of the invitation committee, has extended the invitation to both men. He has

also invited U. S. Senator John W. Kern. In event of their acceptance, special means will be provided for bringing them before the delegates of the G. A. R., and the allied organizations, the Women's Relief corps, the Ladies of the G. A. R. and the Sons of Veterans and Ladies Auxiliary.

Two campfires will be held the night of the second day of the encampment. Arrangements have been made for holding the second one at the First Baptist church, which probably has the biggest auditorium of any centrally located church.

The other campfire will be held at Tomlinson Hall. The Knightstown Soldiers and Sailors Orphans' Home band will

have a part in the encampment program. It has accepted the invitation of the parade committee.

The band will be in the city three days, and it is likely will be quartered at Tomlinson Hall.

INDIANA Y. M. C. A. OFFICERS MEET AT CRAWFORDSVILLE

Addresses Will be Given on Various Phases of Work—Inspection of New Building.

By United Press. Crawfordsville, Ind., April 16—

The annual state convention of the employed officers of the Y. M. C. A. opened here today with about forty of the hundred such officers in Indiana in attendance. They will be addressed on different features pertaining to their work by several prominent speakers during the session, which will continue for two weeks.

The convention opened at 10 o'clock today with an inspection of Crawfordsville's new \$100,000 association building. The annual aquatic meet will be held Friday night. More than a dozen associations having swimming pools have teams entered.

On Saturday an auto trip will be taken on Turkey Run and the Shades of Death in search for a suitable location for the summer camp for Y. M. C. A.'s in Western-central Indiana. Among the associations interested in this summer camp are Lafayette, Terre Haute, Vincennes, Crawfordsville and Indianapolis.

The Home Department Sunday School in the southeast part of town has been closed temporarily until a new meeting place can be found. Last Sunday there were 52 present when the School gave its entertainment and Easter egg hunt for the children.

BUSINESS HISTORY

When the future historian wants to trace the business development of this community he will naturally turn to the advertising columns of the files of the newspapers of today for information.

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These materials range in price from \$1.50 a yard to \$4; the average width is 42 inches.

No. 8132 is developed in rose colored wool velour with bone buttons of the same shade. The coat is cut with a

raglan shoulder, is single breasted and has a convenient patch pocket on either side.

For a girl of 12 years this garment requires 2 yards of 64 inch material. The little lingerie frock shown in No. 8034 is fashioned of a dainty batiste flouncing; the skirt is arranged in tiered effect, each flounce being gathered slightly and set under the one above. There is a short, set-in sleeve, a gathered waist and a narrow belt of the same material as the frock.

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NAVAL DEMONSTRATION.

The action of Huerta, the provisional president of Mexico, in refusing to comply with the demands of this country that he salute the American flag as reparation for the indignity of arresting American marines on Mexican soil is highly suggestive that he desires the United States to take a hand in the revolution in progress there. It appears that he is leaving the United States no other alternative. His course may be taken to mean that he realizes that he has lost the revolution but would rather submit to the United States than to his enemies. It would be a means by which he might give up his position without surrendering to the rebel army.

Huerta might have expected such a request from this country when he ordered the arrest of several American soldiers who were transacting business for their superiors. They had been sent after mail and there was no cause why they should be arrested. He was wrong in ordering the arrest and now he stubbornly refuses to atone for his action.

Again, there is a possibility that some other nation, probably Japan, may be back of Huerta in his refusal to comply. Japan and the Huerta government have been working together in the revolution and he may have adopted this course to give Japan an excuse to come to his rescue. The naval demonstration upon the part of this government is highly significant. Information which has not been made public rests in the hands of the state officials. The facts are carefully guarded and the only reason given for the blockade of the Mexican ports is Huerta's refusal to salute the flag. This, of course, is in itself sufficient to justify

the action taken by the president and his cabinet.

The real significance back of the naval demonstration may be clearly seen if Huerta should fire the salute before the American ships arrive at Tampico. If they were sent there for the one purpose of compelling him to do so they will probably return immediately, but if the state department believes that any other nation is allied with Mexico the dreadnoughts will likely remain in the Mexican waters until the trouble is finally settled.

England and other powers of the world are keeping close check upon the movements of the United States in the present crisis. The "watchful waiting" policy of President Wilson has been commended upon and even censured by other countries who were anxious that the United States should show its authority under the Monroe Doctrine in Mexico.

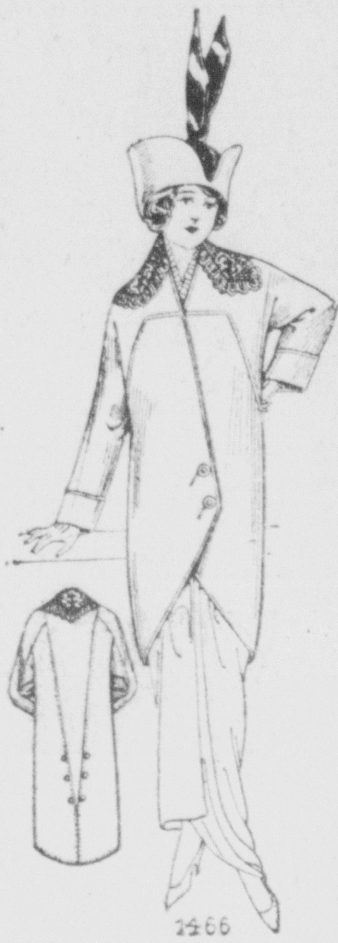
ARGENTINE CORN. (Muncie Press.)

The man who says that Argentine corn competition doesn't affect the price of American corn has been preaching for years that all that was needed to decrease prices in this country was the introduction of foreign competition. When it comes to corn he denies it. The worst feature of Argentine corn competition is that it enables the speculators to bear the market against millions of American corn producers by playing the Argentine planter's crop against the corn output of the American farmer.

Here is a statement from a recent market report of the New York Sun, which is duplicated in some form almost daily: "Reports of heavy bookings of Argentine corn for early shipment took the edge off the bullish enthusiasm." Because of the immense shortage in the American corn crop in 1913, corn would be from 10 to 15 cents a bushel higher today at the Indiana elevators if it were not for free trade in farm products. This is proved by the fact that corn started at 86 1/4 cents in September last, and was forced back to the lower level only when Argentine corn appeared.

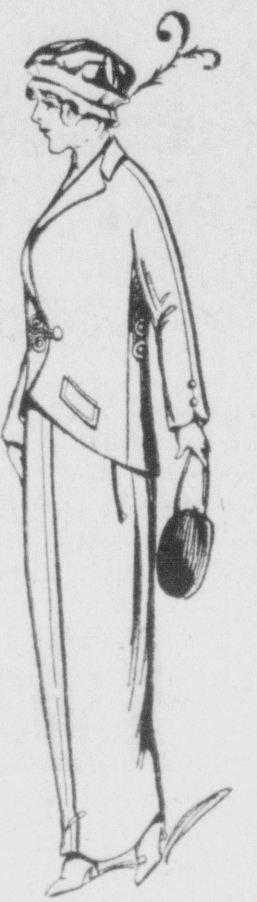
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SOCIAL EVENTS.

RED AND BLUE CONTEST.

The Red and Blue Contest in Mrs. J. Robt. Blair's S. S. class of the First Baptist Sunday School closed Easter. The Red's score standing 31 points and Blue's score 23 points. Red's being losers entertained the Blues Tuesday evening at the church. Games were played. Refreshments were served and a jolly good time enjoyed. In contest points were given for punctuality, attendance and new members and lasted from January to Easter. Much credit to success of contest is given to Roy Bottorff, captain of Red and Edward Massman, captain of the Blues.

Marriage License.

Clarence Hennefeld of Grassyfork to Clara Claybaker of Driftwood. George Collins to Lula Starr, both of Grassyfork township. James Banister to Minnie Erb both of Vernon township.

Automatic Fire Alarm.

San Francisco, April 16.—Seventy miles of automatic fire alarm wiring will be installed in the main exhibit places of the Panama-Pacific Exposition. The alarm device will consist of copper tubing filled with air which, upon becoming heated, expands and automatically makes an electric circuit, which in turn sends an alarm to a central station at each entrance to the building will be enunciators, which will indicate the location of the fire

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Eagles seventh annual minstrel, Seymour Opera House, Monday, April 20th, starting at 8:15 sharp. Barkman's orchestra. Admission 25, 35 and 50 cents. A few seats at 75 cents. Seats on sale at Carter's Drug Store, Thursday, April 16th at 9 a. m. a20d

B. Y. P. U.

The B. Y. P. U. will hold its monthly business meeting and social hour with Miss Anna E. Carter, 324 Ewing street, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. a16d

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MOVIES ARE USED TO OBTAIN RECRUITS

British War Department Having Difficulty in Getting Men to Join Regular Army.

By United Press.

London, April 16—The secret of the British War Office's strenuous and spectacular campaign for recruits is out. It had been suspected that the army was hard up for men when the authorities a couple of months ago began inserting full-page advertisements in newspapers throughout the country pointing out the delights of army life, and supplemented this appeal with a flood of posters and pamphlets and finally a moving picture from which it now develops, is now being shown in almost every town in the United Kingdom. The reason, it now develops, is that the military establishment, including regulars, special reserves, and territorials (militia) is short nearly 100,000 men. The regular army enlistments alone fell 2, 225 in the past year, according to the annual report of the War office, just published, and the present strength of this branch—247,250—is less than it has been for a decade.

Officials attribute the slump to the greatly increased emigration of young men to Canada, Australia, and other outlying dominions, competition by the navy, and the better facilities now afforded for getting employment in civil life through the government labor exchanges.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors who were so very kind to us at the funeral service and burial of our mother, Mrs. Catherine Heuser.

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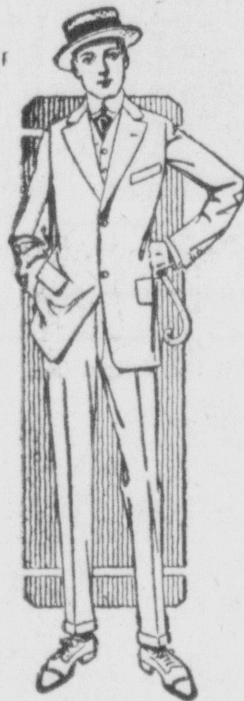
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PERSONAL.

George Vehslage was in Brownstown today on business.
Nathan Kaufman went to Madison this morning on business.
Charles Leininger made a business trip to Brownstown today.

R. O. Mayes went to Louisville this morning on a business trip.

L. C. Huffington, of Medora, transacted business in Seymour today.

Wesley Van Arsdol, of Columbus, was here this morning on business.

W. G. Masters left Wednesday evening for Boston, for an extended trip.

Ralph Applewhite, of Brownstown, was in the city this morning on business.

Mrs. Samuel Baker went to Indianapolis this morning to spend a few days.

Mrs. Anna Stewart went to Brownstown this morning to spend the day.

Mrs. Will Hamer and son, Russell, went to Cincinnati this morning to spend the day.

Mrs. David Keller went to Brownstown this morning to spend the day with her sister.

James DeGolyer and W. P. Masters went to Decatur this morning on a business trip.

Miss Alice Sherron went to Cincinnati Wednesday evening to visit relatives until Saturday.

Mrs. W. G. Austin went to Louisville this afternoon to visit with relatives for a few days.

Oliver E. Gilbert, of Medora, was here this morning visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. W. Hargitt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Young went to Louisville this morning to spend a few days with relatives.

Albert Drago went to Indianapolis Wednesday afternoon to attend the Drago-Deal wedding.

Mrs. George Donhorst came from Jonesville this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Henry Steinker.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huffington and son went to Hayden Wednesday evening for a visit with relatives.

Miss Bernette Birch returned to Louisville this afternoon after visiting friends here for several days.

Mrs. Peter Richart and two children went to North Vernon this morning to visit relatives until after Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hillis Welsh returned to their home in North Vernon after visiting relatives here for several days.

Mrs. Nancy White is moving her dressmaking establishment from Ewing street to East Sixth street today.

Mrs. Albert Meseke and children returned this afternoon from an extended visit in Springfield, O. with relatives.

Mrs. Edward Groth, who has been the guest of Mrs. Anna Appell, returned to her home in Louisville this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hulse returned Monday from Bedford where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Prosser.

Mrs. Anton Massman returned to Cincinnati Wednesday evening after attending the funeral of the late Garritt Massman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bruning and son and Miss Minnie Heintz went to Indianapolis today to attend the Drago-Dean wedding.

Mrs. Mary German, who has been visiting relatives near Reddington, was here this morning on her way to her home in Osgood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Coryea returned to their home in Commiskey this morning after visiting their daughter, Mrs. Sidney Ochs.

Mrs. David Densford went to North Vernon this morning on account of the serious illness of her niece, Miss Lillian Mae Davis.

Mrs. George Meyers and son, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bretthauer, went to Columbus this morning to visit Mrs. Ben Parker.

Mrs. Joseph Alge and son left Wednesday afternoon for their home in Cincinnati after spending a few days here with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Denk.

Rev. and Mrs. M. T. Brandyberry, Misses Hattie Holmes and Ruth Hill went to North Vernon, Wednesday evening to attend the revival at the Holiness church there.

George Heuser, of Winslow, Ariz., who came here to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Catherine Heuser, will remain for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Michaels.

Mrs. J. W. Hunter and children and Mrs. D. W. Matthew and children who have been visiting Isaac Cox and family, left this morning for their home in Boyer, Mont.

Mrs. Lawrence Shoenck and Mrs. Anna Heuser, of Springfield, O., came to attend the funeral of Mrs. Catherine Heuser and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Michaels.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hartwick visit in left this afternoon for their home in Mount Carmel, Ills., after

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spending part of their honeymoon with Mr. and Mrs. James W. Houston.

George Massman, who was called here to attend the funeral of the late Garritt Massman, returned to his home in Cincinnati, Wednesday evening. Mrs. Massman who accompanied him, will remain several days.

PATMONT IS STILL MISSING
Mystery of "Dry" Worker's Disappearance Not Cleared Up.

Danville, Ill., April 16.—Two weeks have passed and still there is no trace of Louis Patmont, the "dry" worker, of Milwaukee, who came to this county to work in the interest of the anti-saloon forces at Westville, "the bad lands of Vermillion county." He disappeared on the evening of March 31, and despite the fact that searching parties have scoured the country for miles around Westville, not a clue can be found that would lead to the finding of his body, in case he has been murdered.

Patmont spoke twelve languages. He was one of the editors of the Polish Christian Standard. It was thought for a time that Patmont had been kidnapped and would be released as soon as the election in Westville was over. However, the election was held more than a week ago and the mystery remains unsolved.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY EXHIBIT FOR EXPOSITION

Marconi Says He Will Have Wireless Telephone Sufficiently Developed For Demonstration.

By United Press.

Rome, April 16.—Ernesto Nathan, Rome's famous ex-mayor who has been appointed Italian commissioner to the San Francisco exposition, has just completed negotiations with Guglielmo Marconi for the largest exhibit at the exposition of wireless telegraphy that has ever yet been made. Marconi has also promised that he will have his wireless telephone sufficiently developed by that time to permit all exposition visitors to do a little telephoning without the annoyance of having central ring in and say that the "line is busy" The drawing of the designs for the Italian pavilion has just been awarded known of the modern Italian architects.

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ASKS ITS RETURN
BY UNITED STATES
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that Huerta will comply with the demands without bloodshed. It is said that the Mexican ports may be blockaded by the United States ships and no resistance offered by the federal forces. It is understood that the rebels will take no hand in the naval demonstration as they understand that the action of the United States is against Huerta and not against the Mexican government.

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VIRTUALLY A STATE OF WAR

While the Blockading of the Ports on Both the East and West Coasts of Mexico Does Not Constitute a Declaration of War, the Act Is Regarded Practically as the Beginning of Armed Hostilities.

New York, April 16.—In reply to a request for his opinion of the trouble at Tampico, President Huerta sent to the Sun a signed dispatch in which he said: "Mexico is not engaged in controversy with anybody, still less with the great American people. The Tampico incident is of no importance."

Washington, April 16.—The powerful Atlantic fleet has sailed for Mexican waters and will blockade and seize the ports of Tampico and Vera Cruz unless President Huerta yields to the demands of the United States and offers reparation for the recent insult to the American flag, when an American officer and several marines were arrested by the military authorities on the streets of Tampico.

This campaign on the eastern coast of Mexico will be supported by the blockade and seizure of all the important ports on the western coast. This supplementary movement against the western coast was disclosed when it was announced that three cruisers, one transport and two colliers in Pacific waters had been ordered to sail as soon as possible for Mexican ports. These war vessels will carry about 1,000 marines and will reinforce a fleet of four cruisers and one gunboat already stationed in Mexican waters to the west. The torpedo flotilla at San Pedro, Cal., also has been ordered to stand ready to sail on short notice.

While the blockading and seizure of the Mexican ports in the event of Huerta's continued refusal to salute the American colors will not in itself constitute a declaration of war, it is almost certain to be followed by open hostilities and will at least mark the beginning of a policy of forceful intervention in the southern republic.

The state department has received no intimation that President Huerta intends to reconsider his refusal to meet the American demand. A report reached Washington through unofficial channels that Huerta was about to call the national congress together at Mexico City for the purpose of submitting the question to them as to whether or not he should yield to the demand for a salute. Such a course obviously would relieve Huerta of considerable individual responsibility and would result in making the episode more completely a national affair.

So far as Washington is concerned, Huerta's statement that the incident has been closed has been accepted and no further diplomatic effort will be made to get a reconsideration. From now on the warships will speak for the United States government and Huerta will be left to interpret the acts of the Washington government in his own way. As yet no ultimatum has been delivered to Huerta fixing a time limit in which the United States will expect favorable action by him, but if he has not signified his intention to make reparation when the American fleet arrives in the gulf waters off Tampico early next week steps will immediately be taken to blockade the important ports and seize them.

If Huerta should refuse to meet the demands of the United States and should open hostilities it would then be necessary for this government to undertake a general military campaign in Mexico. With this contingency in mind efforts are being made to get the army in readiness to move at a moment's notice toward the border and across the Rio Grande. As yet, however, no order has been issued for the movement of any soldiers.

A BASELESS FABRICATION

Startling Tale Told in Defense of Gunmen Was a Lie.

New York, April 16.—Carl Dresner, the bartender who testified in the last legal move to save the gunmen before Justice Goff, has confessed that he committed perjury and he is now in the Tombs. William E. Burwell, who took the stand at the same hearing, has fled.

Dresner not only admitted that he had lied as to everything put forth as fact by him, in connection with the murder of Herman Rosenthal, but he pleaded guilty to the formal charge of perjury.

Dresner's arrest, it is thought, is only the first of a series which will be made because of that startling and unexpected motion for a new trial sprung last Friday.

Bothern and Marlowe to Retire.

Detroit, April 16.—Declaring that on account of Julia Marlowe, his wife, being unable to continue as the costar of his Shakespearean plays, it would be impossible for him to produce that sort of drama, E. H. Bothern announces that he has arranged to retire permanently from the stage and that with his wife he will sail next month for England, where they will make their home.

SENATE BACKS THE PRESIDENT

New Policy Toward Mexico Is Warmly Supported.

MORE GRIEVANCES DISCLOSED

When Leading Members of Foreign Relations Committee Called on the President to Hear the Inside Story of the Dispatch of Blockading Fleet They Were Profoundly Impressed by Executive Revelations.

Washington, April 16.—An historic coincidence is noted in that the Atlantic fleet is due to reach Tampico on the sixteenth anniversary of the declaration of war between Spain and the United States on April 21, 1898. It was also noted that the Revolutionary war began April 19; the Mexican war April 24; and the Civil war April 14.

Washington, April 16.—With few exceptions senators and representatives have responded promptly in support of the president's Mexican policy as exemplified by the order of the fleet. Whatever criticism there is appears to be directed more at what has happened in the past than at what is going on or may result therefrom. The foreign relations committee talked over the situation at length and for once in the relations between the committee and the executive department, no complaint was heard from members of the committee because of a lack of definite information. Senator Shively, acting chairman of the foreign relations committee, in the absence of Senator Stone of Missouri, the chairman, who is ill, and Senator Lodge, who is the ranking Republican member, called at the White House and the president made a full disclosure to them of the reasons which impelled him to send the fleet to the Tampico port. The two senators who had shared the president's confidence along with Chairman Flood of the house committee on foreign affairs, and Representative Cooper of Wisconsin, ranking Republican member, told their colleagues in the foreign relations committee of what they had learned.

The senators who had responded to the president's invitation were profoundly impressed with his narrative, and members of the foreign relations committee were astonished at the statements they heard of repeated indignities heaped on the American government by Mexicans. The sentiment was almost unanimous in support of the president. Following the meeting of the foreign relations committee the senate became surcharged with war talk. There was no attempt to conceal the gravity of the situation. Senator Shively admitted that he thought a military demonstration by this government against Mexico seemed unavoidable.

No senator has taken a deeper personal interest in the developments in Mexico than Senator Fall of New Mexico. He said: "For my part I have always believed that intervention by the armed forces of the United States was the only proper solution of the problem. If that is to be the result of the visit of the fleet, and it looks to me as if it means an invasion to restore order or will lead to that, then the country need have no fear of a prolonged struggle. It will be over in six months and there will not be an armed revolution in Mexico."

"If the affair is properly carried out with firmness the president will find that his armed forces will have the support of 60 per cent, probably 80 per cent, of the people who may be afraid to speak out while the work of restoring order is going on, but who will be ready to approve and support the action of the United States when it is over."

Coming Bridegroom Seriously Ill.

New York, April 16.—Vincent Astor is seriously ill at Hopland House, Staatsburg, N. Y., the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Huntington, parents of Miss Helen Dinsmore Huntington, whose marriage to Mr. Astor has been set for April 30. He is suffering from congestion of the lungs.

Date Set For Becker's Trial.

New York, April 16.—Justice Seabury has set May 6 as the date on which Charles Becker, former police lieutenant, will be retried on charges of instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, for which the four gunmen were executed Monday morning.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
Boston.....	35	Rain
New York.....	37	Rain
Denver.....	40	Pt. Cloudy
San Francisco..	56	Clear
St. Paul.....	48	Clear
Chicago.....	53	Clear
Indianapolis...	56	Clear
St. Louis.....	66	Pt. Cloudy
New Orleans...	72	Clear
Washington...	43	Rain

Warmer and generally fair.



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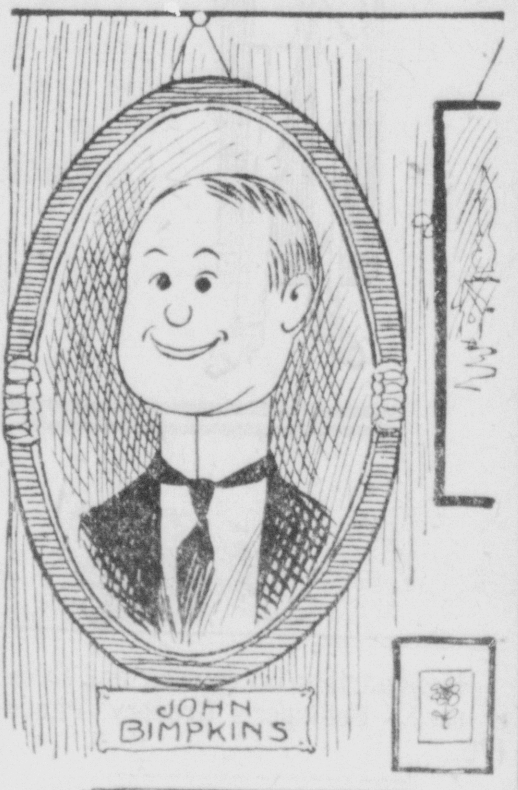
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DETAILS ARE NOW ARRANGED

Complete List of Those Who Have Announced Their Candidacies For State Offices Has Been Compiled and It Is Apparent That There Will Be Several Spirited Contests in the Day's Balloting.

Indianapolis, April 15.—The final plans for the Progressive state convention to be held here next Saturday were worked out at a meeting of the committee on arrangements. A complete list of those who have announced their candidacies for state office were compiled. State Chairman Edwin M. Lee returned from an extensive trip over the state and announced that he is not and never was a candidate for the senatorial nomination and that he cannot accept another term as state chairman. The state committee will meet Saturday evening after the convention to complete the reorganization by electing a state chairman. The name of Edward C. Toner of Anderson is the only one that has yet been mentioned for the chairmanship. C. L. Walters of Bedford was chosen chief clerk and official stenographer for the convention. Harry Kitselman of Muncie was chosen sergeant-at-arms, and Hamilton Anderson of Seymour will be the chief doorkeeper and H. B. Kerr of Princeton will be the chief usher. The name of Jackson Boyd of Greencastle has been mentioned as a probable permanent chairman. Albert J. Beveridge will be the temporary chairman.

As a prelude to the convention a smoker will be given in the rooms of the Indiana Progressive club Friday evening. The following is a list of the candidates who have announced themselves and those whose names are mentioned in connection with the nominations: Secretary of State—Carl R. White, Muncie; J. W. Caswell, Huntington; Lawson Mace, Scottsburg. Auditor of State—Lon Varnitz, Lebanon; Aaron A. Jones, South Bend; Harvey Cushman, Monticello.

Treasurer of State—B. B. Baker, Monticello; Jackson C. Boyd, Greencastle; D. N. Foster, Fort Wayne.

Attorney General—A. G. Manning, Kokomo; Clifford F. Jackman, Huntington; Tom Davidson, Greencastle. Clerk of the Supreme Court—Geo. H. Kuntz, Jr., Muncie; Frank R. Miller, Clinton.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—H. G. Brown, Lebanon; Prof. Will Howe, Bloomington; Charles Spalding, Winamac; J. G. Brown, Monon.

Judge of the Supreme Court—Willis Roe, Tenth district.

Judges of the Appellate Court—Jas. B. Wilson, Bloomington; M. F. Pate, Bloomfield; D. J. Terhune, Linton; Elias D. Salisbury, Indianapolis; F. J. Simpson, Terre Haute.

The probable selection of the Progressives for the senatorial nomination is still in doubt. Those mentioned most prominently are Otis E. Gulley of Danville, Frederick Landis of Logansport, W. D. Headrick and W. C. Bobbs of Indianapolis, and John N. Dyer of Vincennes.

Many Americans are leaving the Mexican capital for Vera Cruz in the belief that this city will not be a safe place for them.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Prevailing Current Prices For Grain and Livestock.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.
Wheat—Wagon, 92c; No. 2 red, 96c. Corn—No. 3, 70½c. Oats—No. 2 white, 40c. Hay—Baled, \$16.00 @ 17.00; timothy, \$16.50 @ 18.50; mixed, \$16.00 @ 17.00. Cattle—\$3.00 @ 9.00. Hogs—\$6.00 @ 8.95. Sheep—\$3.50 @ 6.00. Lambs—\$6.00 @ 8.00. Receipts—Cattle, 1,000; hogs, 4,500; sheep, 200.

At Cincinnati.
Wheat—No. 2 red, 95½c. Corn—No. 2, 68½c. Oats—No. 2, 39½c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00 @ 9.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.00 @ 8.15. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 8.90. Sheep—\$5.40 @ 7.00. Lambs—\$6.30 @ 8.25.

At Chicago.
Wheat—No. 2 red, 95½c. Corn—No. 2, 68½c. Oats—No. 2, 39½c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00 @ 9.25. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 8.50. Sheep—\$5.25 @ 6.50. Lambs—\$7.00 @ 8.50.

At St. Louis.
Wheat—No. 2 red, 94c. Corn—No. 2, 70c. Oats—No. 2, 40½c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00 @ 9.25. Hogs—\$5.00 @ 8.50. Sheep—\$5.25 @ 6.50. Lambs—\$7.00 @ 8.50.

At East Buffalo.
Cattle—\$3.75 @ 9.40. Hogs—\$7.00 @ 13.50. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 6.85. Lambs—\$6.50 @ 8.65.

FEDERALS FLED FROM ARMY OF THE REBELS

Villa Reports Rout of Velasco's Fugitives.

El Paso, April 16.—According to his report wired to the border at Juarez, Pancho Villa now holds the entire Laguna district surrounding Torreon, which he has freed of federals.

Additional facts regarding the taking of San Pedro and the complete rout of the federals are contained in the telegram from Villa. "The enemy to the number of 12,000 occupied the plaza of San Pedro. They were commanded by General Velasco. In their precipitate flight they abandoned many trains, much railroad repair material, all cannon, hundreds of hand bombs, wagons and munitions, ambulances and many others of their supplies."

"Before leaving they forced all the families to assemble in the plaza and then set fire to the Hotel Mexico, Hotel Mercado and a large warehouse, besides burning all the properties of the Madera. I cannot calculate the losses caused by the barbarous act. Fortunately, they did not succeed in burning all of the city, because we were in time to impede the progress of the flames. According to the most reliable information the federals are fleeing in the worst disorder and are in bad condition."

"All the inhabitants, both rich and poor, have suffered greatly for ten days for lack of food. I am now doing my best to relieve this condition. I cannot say exactly what is the loss of the enemy, but I assure it will reach, in dead, wounded and prisoners more than 3,500. For our part, 650 will cover the losses."

Farmer Kills Himself.

Mitchell, Ind., April 16.—Benjamin Lynn, fifty-one years old, a farmer, committed suicide by shooting himself. He had lost the sight of one eye and brooding over the thought that he would soon be totally blind is supposed to have been the cause of the suicide.

Fell Under Freight Train.

Aurora, Ind., April 16.—Charles T. Perrou, aged thirty-four, a barber of Lawrenceburg, slipped and fell under a freight train when he attempted to get on it. Both legs were crushed so badly that it was necessary to amputate them above the knees.

OSCAR E. BLAND

Second District Republicans Nominate Him for Congress.



Martinsville, Ind., April 15.—Oscar E. Bland of Linton was nominated by the Republicans of the Second district, to make the race for congress next fall against William A. Culp of Vincennes.

Hangs Self With Children's Swing.

Kendallville, Ind., April 16.—Samuel Beadle, a thirteen-year-old boy, hearing the screams of his mother, ran to the house and, finding her fighting a strange man, grabbed a club and beat him into a state of insensibility. The assailant of the woman gave his name as Floyd Welch.

Boy's Able Defense of Mother.

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A Slight Difference.

What is the difference between a jeweler and a jailer? One sells watches, and the other watches cells.

The Case of Jennie Brice

By
MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

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CHAPTER VIII.

HE looked at me attentively. "You know more than you are telling me, Mrs. Pitman," she said. "Do you think Jennie Brice is dead and that Mr. Howell knows—who did it?"

"I think she is dead, and I think possibly Mr. Howell suspects who did it. He does not know, or he would have told the police."

"You do not think he was—in love with Jennie Brice, do you?"

"I'm certain of that," I said. "He is very much in love with a foolish girl, who ought to have more faith in him than she has."

She colored a little and smiled at that, but the next moment she was sitting forward, tense and questioning again.

"If that is true, Mrs. Pitman," she said, "who was the veiled woman he met that Monday morning at daylight and took across the bridge to Pittsburgh? I believe it was Jennie Brice. If it was not, who was it?"

"I don't believe he took any woman across the bridge at that hour. Who says he did?"

"Uncle Jim saw him. He had been playing cards all night at one of the clubs and was walking home. He says he met Mr. Howell face to face and spoke to him. The woman was tall and veiled. Uncle Jim sent for him a day or two later, and he refused to explain. Then they forbade him the house. Mamma objected to him anyhow, and he only came on sufferance. He is a college man of good family, but without any money at all save what he earns. And now—"

I had had some young newspaper men with me, and I knew what they got. They were nice boys, but they made \$15 a week. I'm afraid I smiled a little as I looked around the room, with its gray grass cloth walls, its toilet table spread with ivory and gold and the maid in attendance in her black dress and white apron, collar and cuffs. Even the little nightgown Lida was wearing would have taken a week's salary or more. She saw my smile.

"It was to be his chance," she said. "If he made good he was to have something better. My Uncle Jim owns the paper, and he promised me to help him. But—"

So Jim was running a newspaper! That was a curious career for Jim to choose—Jim, who was twice expelled from school and who could never write a letter without a dictionary beside him! I had a pang when I heard his name again after all the years, for I had written to Jim from Oklahoma after Mr. Pitman died asking for money to bury him and had never even had a reply.

"And you haven't seen him since?"

"Once. I didn't hear from him, and I called him up. We—we met in the park. He said everything was all right, but he couldn't tell me just then. The next day he resigned from the paper and went away. Mrs. Pitman, it's driving me crazy, for they have found a body, and they think it is hers. If it is and he was with her!"

"Don't be a foolish girl," I protested. "If he was with Jennie Brice she is still living, and if he was not with Jennie Brice—"

"If it was not Jennie Brice then I have a right to know who it was," she declared. "He was not like himself when I met him. He said such queer things—he talked about an onyx clock and said he had been made a fool of and that no matter what came out I was always to remember that he had done what he did for the best and that—that he cared for me more than for anything in this world or the next."

"That wasn't so foolish!" I couldn't help it. I leaned over and drew her nightgown up over her bare white shoulder. "You won't help anything or anybody by taking cold, my dear," I said. "Call your maid and have her put a dressing gown around you."

I left soon after. There was little I could do. But I comforted her as best I could and said good night. My heart was heavy as I went downstairs. For twist things as I might, it was clear that in some way the Howell boy was mixed up in the Brice case. Poor little Lida! Poor distracted boy!

I had a curious experience downstairs. I had reached the foot of the staircase and was turning to go back and along the hall to the side entrance when I came face to face with Isaac, the old colored man who had driven the family carriage when I was a child and whom I had seen at intervals since I came back pottering around Alma's house. The old man was bent and feeble. He came slowly down the hall with a bunch of keys in his hand. I had seen him do the same thing many times.

He stopped when he saw me, and I shrank back from the light, but he had seen me. "Miss Bess!" he said. "Foh Gawd's sake, Miss Bess!"

"You are making a mistake, my friend," I said, quivering; "I am not 'Miss Bess'!"

the way back to the door, where the machine waited, his head shaking with the palsy of age, muttering as he went. He opened the door with his best manner and stood aside.

"Good night, ma'am," he quavered. I had tears in my eyes. I tried to keep them back. "Good night," I said. "Good night, Ikkie."

It had slipped out, my baby name for old Isaac!

"Miss Bess!" he cried. "Oh, praise Gawd, it's Miss Bess again!" He caught my arm and pulled me back into the hall, and there he held me, crying over me, muttering praises for my return, begging me to come back, recalling little tender things out of the past that almost killed me to hear again.

But I had made my bed and must lie in it. I forced him to swear silence about my visit; I made him promise not to reveal my identity to Lida; and I told him—heaven forgive me—that I was well and prosperous and happy.

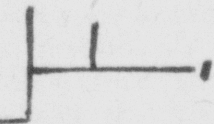
Dear old Isaac! I would not let him come to see me, but the next day there came a basket with six bottles of wine and an old daguerreotype of my mother that had been his treasure. Nor was that basket the last.

The coroner held an inquest over the headless body the next day, Tuesday. Mr. Graves telephoned me in the morning and I went to the morgue with him.

I do not like the morgue, although some of my neighbors pay it weekly visits. It is by way of excursion, like nickelodeons or watching the circus put up its tents. I have heard them threaten the children that if they misbehaved they would not be taken to the morgue that week!

I failed to identify the body. How could I? It had been a tall woman, probably five feet eight, and I thought the nails looked like those of Jennie Brice. The thumb nail of one was broken short off. I told Mr. Graves about her speaking of a broken nail, but he shrugged his shoulders and said nothing.

There was a curious scar over the heart and he was making a sketch of it. It reached from the center of the chest for about six inches across the left breast, a narrow thin line that one could hardly see. It was shaped like this:



I felt sure that Jennie Brice had had no such scar, and Mr. Graves thought



"You are making a mistake; I am not 'Miss Bess!'"

as I did. Temple Hope, called to the inquest, said she had never heard of one, and Mr. Ladley himself, at the inquest, swore that his wife had had nothing of the sort. I was watching him, and I did not think he was lying. And yet the hand was very like Jennie Brice's. It was all bewildering.

Mr. Ladley's testimony at the inquest was disappointing. He was cool and collected; said he had no reason to believe that his wife was dead and less reason to think she had been drowned; she had left him in a rage, and if she found out that by hiding she was putting him in an unpleasant position she would probably hide indefinitely.

To the disappointment of everybody, the identity of the woman remained a mystery. No one with such a scar was missing. A small woman of my own age, a Mrs. Murray, whose daughter, a stenographer, had disappeared, attended the inquest. But her daughter had had no such scar and had worn her nails short because of using the typewriter. Alice Murray was the missing girl's name. Her mother sat beside me and cried most of the time.

One thing was brought out at the inquest—the body had been thrown into the river after death. There was no water in the lungs. The verdict was "death by the hands of some person or persons unknown."

Mr. Holcombe was not satisfied. In some way or other he had got permission to attend the autopsy and had brought away a tracing of the scar. All the way home in the street car he stared at the drawing, holding first one eye shut and then the other. But, like the coroner, he got nowhere. He folded the paper and put it in his notebook.

"None the less, Mrs. Pitman," he said, "that is the body of Jennie Brice. Her husband killed her, probably by strangling her. He took the body out in the boat and dropped it into the swollen river above the Ninth street bridge."

"Why do you think he strangled

her?"

"There was no mark on the body and no poison was found."

"Then, if he strangled her, where did the blood come from?"

"I didn't limit myself to strangulation," he said irritably. "He may have cut her throat."

"Or trained her with my onyx clock," I added with a sigh. For I missed the clock more and more.

He went down in his pockets and brought up a key. "I'd forgotten this," he said. "It shows you were right—that the clock was there when the Ladleys took the room. I found this in the yard this morning."

It was when I got home from the inquest that I found old Isaac's basket waiting. I am not a crying woman, but I could hardly see my mother's picture for tears. Well, after all, that is not the Brice story. I am not writing the sordid tragedy of my life.

That was on Tuesday. Jennie Brice had been missing nine days. In all that time, although she was cast for the piece at the theater that week, no one there had heard from her. Her relatives had had no word. She had gone away, if she had gone, on a cold March night, in a striped black and white dress with a red collar and a red and black hat, without her fur coat, which she had worn all winter. She had gone very early in the morning or during the night. How had she gone? Mr. Ladley said he had rowed her to Federal street at half after 6 and had brought the boat back. After they had quarreled violently all night, and when she was leaving him, wouldn't he have allowed her to take herself away? Besides, the police had found no trace of her on an early train. And then at daylight, between 5 and 6, my own brother had seen a woman with Mr. Howell, a woman who might have been Jennie Brice. But if it was, why did not Mr. Howell say so?

Mr. Ladley claimed she was hiding in revenge. But Jennie Brice was not that sort of woman. There was something big about her, something that is found often in large women—a lack of spite. She was not petty or malicious. Her faults, like her virtues, were for all to see.

In spite of the failure to identify the body Mr. Ladley was arrested that night, Tuesday, and this time it was for murder. I know now that the police were taking long chances. They had no strong motive for the crime. As Mr. Holcombe said, they had provocation, but not motive, which is different. They had opportunity, and they had a lot of straggling links of clues, which in the total made a fair chain of circumstantial evidence. But that was all.

That is the way the case stood on Tuesday night, March 13.

Mr. Ladley was taken away at 9 o'clock. He was perfectly cool, asked me to help him pack a suit case and whistled while it was being done. He requested to be allowed to walk to the jail and went quietly, with a detective on one side and, I think, a sheriff's officer on the other.

Just before he left he asked for a word or two with me, and when he paid his bill up to date and gave me an extra dollar for taking care of Peter I was almost overcome. He took the manuscript of his play with him, and I remember his asking if he could have any typing done in the jail. I had never seen a man arrested for murder before, but I think he was probably the coolest suspect the officers had ever seen. They hardly knew what to make of it.

Mr. Reynolds and I had a cup of tea after all the excitement and were sitting at the dining room table drinking it when the bell rang. It was Mr. Howell. He half staggered into the hall when I opened the door and was for going into the parlor bedroom with a word.

"Mr. Ladley's gone, if you want him," I said. I thought his face cleared. "Gone!" he said. "Where?"

"To jail."

He did not reply at once. He stood there, tapping the palm of one hand with the forefinger of the other. He was dirty and unshaven. His clothes looked as if he had been sleeping in them.

"So they've got him!" he muttered finally, and turning, was about to go but the front door without another word, but I caught his arm.

"You're sick, Mr. Howell," I said. "You'd better not go out just yet."

"Oh, I'm all right," He shook his handkerchief out and wiped his face. I saw that his hands were shaking.

"Come back and have a cup of tea and a slice of homemade bread."

He hesitated and looked at his watch. "I'll do it, Mrs. Pitman," he said. "I suppose I'd better throw a little fuel into this engine of mine. It's been going hard for several days."

He ate like a wolf. I cut half a loaf into slices for him, and he drank the rest of the tea. Mr. Reynolds creaked up to bed and left him still eating, and me still cutting and spreading. Now that I had a chance to see him I was shocked. The rims of his eyes were red, his collar black and his hair hung over his forehead. But when he finally sat back and looked at me his color was better.

"So they've canned him!" he said. "Time enough, too," said I.

He leaned forward and put both his elbows on the table. "Mrs. Pitman," he said earnestly, "I don't like him any more than you do. But he never killed that woman."

"Somebody killed her."

"How do you know? How do you know she's dead?"

Well, I didn't, of course—I only felt it.

"The police haven't even proved a crime. They can't hold a man for a supposititious murder."

"Perhaps they can't, but they're do-

ing it," I retorted. "If the woman's alive she won't let him hang."

"I'm not so sure of that," he said heavily and got up. He looked in the little mirror over the sideboard and brushed back his hair. "I look bad enough," he said, "but I feel worse. Well, you've saved my life, Mrs. Pitman. Thank you."

"How is my—how is Miss Harvey?" I asked, as we started out. He turned and smiled at me in his boyish way. "The best ever!" he said. "I haven't seen her for days, and it seems like centuries. She—she is the only girl in the world for me, Mrs. Pitman, although I— He stopped and drew a long breath. "She is beautiful, isn't she?"

"Very beautiful," I answered. "Her mother was always—"

"Her mother!" He looked at me curiously.

"I knew her mother years ago," I said, putting the best face on my mistake that I could.

"Then I'll remember you to her, if she ever allows me to see her again. Just now I'm persona non grata."

"If you'll do the kindly thing, Mr. Howell," I said, "you'll forget me to her."

He looked into my eyes and then thrust out his hand.

"All right," he said. "I'll not ask any questions. I guess there are some curious stories hidden in these old houses."

Peter hobbled to the front door with him. He had not gone so far as the parlor once while Mr. Ladley was in the house.

They had had a sale of spring flowers at the store that day, and Mr. Reynolds had brought me a pot of white tulips. That night I hung my mother's picture over the mantel in the dining room and put the tulips beneath it. It gave me a feeling of comfort; I had never seen my mother's grave or put flowers on it.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Higgins put the blame for the crime on the girl. He swore that she wrote him letters, urging him to murder his wife so that he might marry her. Julia Flake, who was indicted as an accessory, is in the state reformatory for girls at Geneva, Ill., and will not be tried at this term of court.

Look to Your Plumbing.

You know what happens in a house in which the plumbing is in poor condition—everybody in the house is liable to contract typhoid or some other fever. The digestive organs perform the same functions in the human body as the plumbing does for the house, and they should be kept in first class condition all the time. If you have any trouble with your digestion take Chamberlain's tablets and you are certain to get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

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April 13, 1914.

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TERSE TELEGRAMS

The senate has passed the bill raising to an embassy the United States legation to Argentina.

John Lind, President Wilson's personal representative in Mexico, has arrived in Washington.

Mrs. Lyman Trumbull, widow of Senator Lyman Trumbull of Illinois, is dead at her home in Saibrook Point, Conn.

Roland Garros, the aviator, flew from Marseilles to Paris, making the 678 miles in ten hours and thirty-three minutes.

The pope has presented a gold medal to Dr. Murchie, a Sardinian, who is the discoverer of an alleged cure for tuberculosis.

Suffragettes set fire to Bangor station, in the county of Down, Ireland, but the blaze was extinguished before any serious damage had been caused.

Congress will take action at this session to dissociate the general educational board of the Rockefeller foundation from the work of the department of agriculture.

Paul D. Cravath's summer home, Veraton, at Locust Valley, L. I., was destroyed by fire, although most of the furnishings were saved. The loss is about \$200,000.

Organized labor propagandists from all parts of the United States and Canada are attending the annual meeting of the International Labor Press association at St. Louis.

Vice President Marshall will deliver the address of welcome to delegates to the congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution that opens at Washington Monday.

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7:40 a.m. I	G. 7:28 a.m.
* 9:18 a.m. I	I. 9:00 a.m.
9:40 a.m. I	I. 9:10 a.m.
*11:18 a.m. I	I. 11:00 a.m.
11:40 a.m. I	I. 11:10 a.m.
* 1:18 p.m. I	I. 1:00 p.m.
1:40 p.m. I	I. 2:10 p.m.
* 3:18 p.m. I	I. 3:00 p.m.
3:35 p.m. I	I. 4:10 p.m.
5:40 p.m. I	I. 5:00 p.m.
* 6:18 p.m. I	I. 6:10 p.m.
7:40 p.m. I	I. 7:00 p.m.
* 8:18 p.m. I	I. 8:00 p.m.
8:35 p.m. I	I. 9:10 p.m.
10:45 p.m. G	I. 10:00 p.m.
11:59 p.m. C	I. 11:40 p.m.

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Seymour Temperatures.

The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures as shown by the government thermometers at the Seymour volunteer weather observation station and reported by J. Thos. Hays, observer. The figures are for twenty-four hours ending at noon:

Max. Min.
April 16, 1914 72 39

Weather Indications.
Fair, warmer tonight. Friday increasing cloudiness and warmer.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Charles Foist was in Seymour today arranging for a sale which he will hold on April 30th.

Philip Meeh has sold his Redding township farm to George Cooley for \$3,000. The trade was made through the George Hancock agency.

Spring has come. Sure signs that are positive evidence of the fact were seen here today. Several bands of traveling musicians who have been hibernating in winter quarters for several months are again on the road and landed in this city today.

The police force at Brownstown has been reduced from three to two members. Marshal Russell and Officer Shuttles will go on duty at noon each day and will remain on duty until daylight the following morning. They will both serve as street commissioners in their respective districts.

According to rumors that have been current for several days a new time table will soon be effective on the B. & O. Southwestern Railroad. It is reported that the time of several passenger trains will be changed slightly and that one may be taken from the schedule. No definite information could be learned from the local offices.

Loss on the house of Thomas Hollenbaugh, three miles south of Leesville, which was destroyed by fire Monday, is estimated at \$1,000 with \$700 insurance. The house was occupied by William Michaels. Burning embers were carried quite a distance by the high wind but none of the adjoining buildings were damaged. The house was recently remodeled.

The contract for the new school building at Vallonia has been awarded to William C. Ball, of Brownstown. He proposed to erect the building for \$14,673. The contract provides that the building must be completed by September 1. It will be modern in every respect. Arrangements will be made for a domestic science department in the building.

While working in the woods cutting ties near Tampico, Monday Geo. Collins, aged about twenty-one, fell over and when his companions reached him they thought he was dead, and a report was sent out to that effect, says the Brownstown Banner. A vehicle was sent out after the body, but before it reached there he began to revive and a physician was sent for. After he had sufficiently recovered he was taken home and at last report was recovering. It is reported that he fell from a horse a few days before injuring the back of his head, which is thought to have been the cause of his sudden attack in the woods. The family lives between Crothersville and Tampico, having moved there recently from Kentucky.

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